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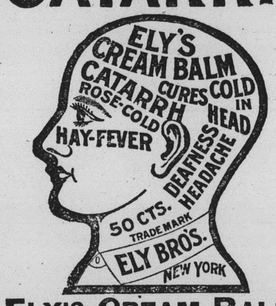


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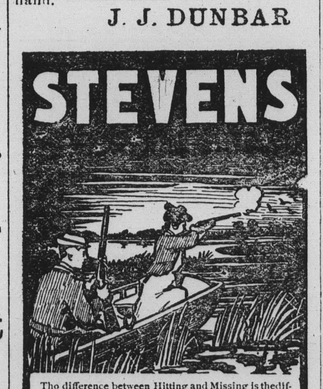

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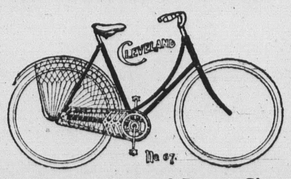


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## FREAKS OF CLOCKS.

THE STRANGE WARNING CHIMED FROM STRASSBURG CATHEDRAL.

**Peculiarities of the Timepiece in the British House of Lords—The Madness of Mechlin's Clock—"When Clocks Go Crazy, Things Go Daft."**

There is an old saw which declares that "when clocks go crazy, things go daft."

At 2 a. m. on Sept. 27, 1869, the world famous clock in the great cathedral at Strassburg commenced to chime without rhyme or reason. It sounded 1,870 peals, then stopped, and after an interval slowly began to toll as if for a great one dead.

The political atmosphere of Europe at that time was indicative of profound peace. Nothing of danger or disgrace could by any possibility be conceived of as threatening Strassburg or its inhabitants. Yet less than a year afterward the German armies had encircled the city with a ring of steel and fire. The German shells were falling thickly in her streets and squares and exploding even within the precincts of the stately cathedral itself. And precisely at 2 a. m. Sept. 27, 1870, General Uhrich signed the capitulation which was to deliver Strassburg into the hands of the invaders.

In the house of lords is a certain historical timepiece which is said to invariably suffer from temporary aberration whenever a member of the royal family of Britain passes away. The peculiarity was first noticed when William IV. died. Very early in the morning the clock began to emit a series of peculiar gurgling noises, as though gasping for breath, went suddenly slow and finally stopped altogether. All efforts to start it failed, and on the evening of the day of the funeral it restarted of its own accord, nor did it give any further trouble whatever for many years afterward.

It has over and over again been noticed that clocks, especially those situated in the turrets of high buildings having unusually deep foundations, are liable to go wrong in sympathy with seismic disturbances happening in districts sometimes very far away.

On Nov. 1, 1755, for instance, fully half the timepieces in Edinburgh were affected. Many stopped altogether. Others went slow or fast or started striking wrongly. In this the superstitious saw some calamity impending, and it was not until news arrived of the great Lisbon earthquake that the alarm was allayed. It was then discovered, by comparing times and dates, that the first shock must have traveled from Fez in Morocco to Cape Wrath in less than eight seconds.

A curious coincident was then recalled. On the evening of April 7, exactly five years previously, several thousands of persons, particularly those of rank and fortune, had camped out in Hyde park and had thus passed the hours from dusk till daylight.

This was to avoid an earthquake shock which had been predicted for the early morning of the 8th by an alleged "madman." The threatened quake, however, failed to materialize, and the scared ones got heartily laughed at for their pains. Nevertheless, it was noted at the time that several of the public and private clocks of the metropolis stopped at precisely the same moment on the morning in question, and this fact at once took on a new and sinister significance.

"Was it possible," people began to ask, "that the so called 'madman' was not so very 'mad' after all and that London had providentially escaped what might possibly have been a hideous and unparalleled catastrophe?"

The so called "madness" of Mechlin's clock constitutes one of the most mysterious incidents of the Napoleonic wars. It happened in 1806. Two years previously the Corsican usurper had razed a portion of the city to the ground, and the place had also suffered severely in other ways. But the magnificent cathedral had been spared, and then, as now, its massive tower rising four square to a height of more than 300 feet and bearing four dials, each forty-eight feet in diameter, was one of the most striking landmarks for miles and miles around.

Inside the tower was the gigantic clock, the biggest in the world. It had boomed the hours for longer than the oldest burgher could remember and had never gone wrong. When, therefore, in the early dawn of one summer day the great bell began clanging furiously small wonder that not only the city, but the whole countryside, was roused. Mechlin itself was like a disturbed hive, men rushing from their houses half dressed, but all armed, while from every town and village within a radius of twenty miles angry peasants poured cityward.

It was a false alarm, however, after all. No assault followed. No column of dust on the horizon heralded the advance of the enemy, although anxious eyes watched all day. But when toward evening one more curious than his fellows bethought him to examine the interior of the clock tower in order to discover if possible the reason for the clock's strange behavior a grewsome sight met his view.

Entangled in the massive works of the huge timepiece, torn, gashed, every bone broken, was the body of a French officer. He had evidently climbed into the tower unobserved and had been caught by the machinery while engaged in tampering with it. What his object was in so doing none ever knew. That it was something sinister there could be no doubt. Probably he had intended to so arrange the interior mechanism of the clock as to cause it to sound a signal later in the day. At all events, whatever his plan, it miscarried. And he himself fell a victim to his own temerity and want of knowledge.

## THE DEVIL'S PACKET

[Original.]

The pirates that infested the gulf of Mexico during the early years of the Spanish occupation of Central America disappeared gradually, reappeared occasionally and vanished, the last ship showing up in the early part of the nineteenth century. One moonlight night she sailed out of Puerto Cabello, in Honduras, where she had been lying at anchor during a storm, and made for open waters.

"What is that black hulk out there?" said the man at the wheel to the captain, "and how does she find anchorage in such deep water?"

"She's not anchored," said the captain. "She's lying to."

"No, she's moving. Her yards are squared toward us, but she has altered her course, and I can see her sails. How can those few patches of canvas move so large a vessel, I wonder?"

"All the better for us," replied the captain. "A hulk of a merchantman with such rags will be easily overhauled. Put her no'th by half no'th-east."

Whether the merchantman espied the pirate and proposed to get away from her or no, she turned and moved in the same direction as the latter. Notwithstanding her meager show of canvas, she did not seem to lose much interval.

"How does she keep that pace?" inquired the captain of one of his principal men who came up to ask about the stranger.

"She's a queer one," replied the other musingly.

The captain called the crew on deck and ordered them to prepare for action. The guns were run out, ammunition was brought up, and a reserve supply of cutlasses was dumped at the foot of the mainmast. Then the grappling irons were fixed in place, and the crew stood ready. So long as they were busy they kept their heads, but the moment they began to watch the strange vessel moving steadily on under sails incapable of giving their own little vessel a headway of half a dozen knots they began to look puzzled.

Presently it began to be apparent to the pirates that they were gaining on the vessel. Notwithstanding that she was under the same sail as before, she was scarcely moving. Then of a sudden her sails were furled, but, wonderful to relate, she resumed her former speed. The captain, the wheelman and half a dozen of the crew who had come up to ask questions about the singular craft all looked at one another in astonishment.

"That's no real ship!" exclaimed one with blanched cheeks. "She is a phantom!"

"Shut up!" cried the captain. "She's a ship, a real ship, and we'll be aboard of her within an hour. The first man who talks about a phantom will feel the edge of my cutlass!"

This quieted the crew temporarily, though several who had been born within the fold of the church secretly crossed themselves. They were of the lowest classes, and their captain was no more enlightened than themselves, though made of sterner stuff. The breeze freshened, and it was apparent to the pirates that with the difference of sail area they must soon catch the stranger unless, indeed, she were a veritable phantom. Nevertheless at 2 o'clock in the morning, when the moon had passed the horizon, the pirate was as far astern as ever. The mysterious vessel moved on like a jack o' lantern, and the pirates began to believe that she was under the protection of a dark mist that hung over her. Several times this mist disappeared, and the pursuers always noticed that at such times the stranger's pace was either abated or she ceased to move entirely. After one of these changes of gait the pirates found themselves sailing half a mile behind her and on parallel lines a quarter of a mile apart.

"Send a shot," said the captain.

The gunners got a gun ready on the forecastle, but there seemed to be some delay. The captain went forward and found the men shivering beside the gun.

"What's the matter?" he thundered.

"May be she's under the protection of the blessed saints," whimpered one of the men. "It would be impious to fire. Look, there's something white in the water amidships! She moves again. Santa Maria! The sea monsters are bearing her forward!"

Every man fell on his knees and made the sign of the cross.

Suddenly the vessel, notwithstanding the direction of the wind, sheered around and stood on a course that would take her directly across the pirate's bow. The captain still kept on his feet in the midst of his kneeling men and watched her with open mouth and staring eyes. On went his vessel and on went the stranger, passing his course an eighth of a mile ahead. Presently his fighting nature overcame his superstition, and, seizing an iron that was heating in a brazier, he applied it to the vent of the gun. The sailors covered their eyes with their hands as the gun boomed. When they looked again, the vessel had passed their course, and at the moment there was a flash, and the light of Tophet flared through a square opening in her side, glaring on the figure of Satan, who was thrusting a huge poker into the place from whence the light was emitted. Not only the crew, but the captain, fell on their faces on the deck, not daring to look up. When they did, the devil's packet, as they called the vessel, was skipping away from them, pouring a black cloud from a huge chimney amidships.

The pirates steered for land, deserted their vessel and forever abandoned their nefarious calling.

The devil's packet was the first steamer ever seen in the gulf of Mexico.

F. A. MITCHEL.

## GREELEY'S REVENGE.

**Outcome of the Editor's Tiff With Elizabeth Cady Stanton.**

The late Elizabeth Cady Stanton was particularly apt at retort, and one of her swift parries of a thrust delivered by Horace Greeley against her favorite doctrine of woman suffrage is historic.

"Madam," said Horace one day during the civil war, "the ballot and the bullet go together. If you want to vote, are you ready to fight?"

"Certainly, sir," she responded. "I am ready to fight, just as you are fighting, through a substitute."

Notwithstanding their differences of opinion, Mrs. Stanton and Greeley were personally friendly until the New York constitutional convention of 1868. A woman suffrage clause was strenuously pressed upon that body and as vigorously opposed by Mr. Greeley. One day, after the Tribune editor had made some particularly rasping remarks upon the subject, George William Curtis rose and said:

"I have the honor, Mr. Chairman, to present a petition in favor of the woman suffrage amendment signed by Mrs Horace Greeley and 300 other ladies."

Greeley was furious and rightly ascribed the appearance of the memorial at that moment to Mrs. Stanton.

"Why did you not put my wife's maiden name on that petition and call her Mary Cheney Greeley?" he demanded the next time they met.

"Because," said Mrs. Stanton, "I wanted all the world to know that Horace Greeley's wife protested against her husband's report on the suffrage amendment."

"All right," retorted the editor. "Hereafter you shall always be spoken of in the Tribune as Mrs. Henry B. Stanton." And so it was to the time of her death, although the name of Elizabeth Cady Stanton was known to hundreds of thousands who could not identify the woman by the appellation under which the Tribune, for revenge, tried to obscure her fame.—Pilgrim.

## SECRETS OF THE BODY.

**The Progress Science Has Made In Two Hundred Years.**

A century ago the work of the modern surgeon would have been denounced by the theologians, who then ruled mankind, as audacious intrusions into the exclusive jurisdiction of God. Two centuries ago, or, at the furthest, three, the man of science who would take out the viscera of a man, cut out their disease and put them back would have been fortunate to escape the stake or the block. But the audacious invader of the secrets of the body, the beneficent healer who, with his vial or his knife, lessens the miseries of humanity, diminishes or destroys pain, prolongs life and smooths its pathway to the grave—this is now the man who appeals most strongly to his fellow beings. For him and his training the captains of industry are pouring out their millions, building him colleges and laboratories, endowing professorships, while the world at large hails him as a man of power and influence at a time when wealth is accumulating and when men are not decaying. More and more, very likely, we shall see the strong men of the college classes choosing medicine, although the time has not yet come for domination over the lawyer, who is now engaged in settling the direction and the form in which the captains of industry shall carry on their development of the world's wealth. The time seems to be coming, however, when the indefinite prolongation of human life and the destruction of the enemies of human health, a work which almost suggests the creative power, will be the task that will call for and will receive the service of the best training of our colleges and universities—that is, when the appeal of medicine and surgery will be addressed inevitably to the best in every college class, just as once the call came from the ministry and then from the bench and bar and senate house.—Harper's Weekly.


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## A Congressman that Does Things.

CONGRESSMAN D. E. MCKINLAY is about to get Santa Rosa an appropriation of $100,000 for a new Postoffice building and has already succeeded in having the Government set aside $10,000 for the purchase of a site for the building. Mr. McKinlay is a representative of prominence and influence at Washington and the prestige he has gained for himself and his district is the subject of much comment among his constituents. The people of the Second District are proud of him, but it rankles a few who have personal grievances against him to see him obtaining so much recognition and standing among the distinguished men at Washington. The disgruntled ones who were stirred up over the incident of Postmaster Lemmon, the lost postoffice and the uncalled-for letter should not waste their breath and exhaust their mud ammunition this early in the game. It is poor policy and worse politics.

## The Close of a Zealous Career.

DEATH has closed the zealous career of Susan B. Anthony but her life work will be taken up by the thousands of earnest women who believe that suffrage should not be denied them. When Miss Anthony championed this cause of her sex, she knew that she would probably not live to see the victory won but she lived long enough to kindle such an interest in the movement and to educate the minds of her fellows to such a degree that she was assured of that triumph which she made inevitable.

She lived long enough to see her work achieve such a healthy, hardy growth, that it has become one of our great issues. It is a topic no longer derided but is a vital one now advocated by our most intelligent women and our most conservative men. The task of educating our people up to the point she did, upsetting tradition and promulgating such a new idea that women were capable of self-expression in the matter of government, show her to have been a wonderful woman. She was no dreamer, but exceedingly practical. She worked for results which she got, and all women will some day get the rights for which Miss Anthony strived her whole life long. Her's was no selfish mission but a work for the good of womankind, unshackled of creed and regardless of clime.

CALIFORNIANS in this section of the State are beginning to wake up to the fact that Southern California has been gobbling up all settlers from the East and that practically nothing of Northern California is known to Eastern people except, perhaps, a vague idea that it is somewhere near the North Pole. That such impressions exist may be seen from the words of J. W. Erwin, the lecturer, who is now in Pennsylvania lecturing on "The Wonders and Glories of California." Mr. Erwin has the following to say in a letter to the Oakland Chamber of Commerce; "The people hereabouts appear to have an idea that California is comprised almost wholly of Los Angeles and Pasadena. One of the Pittsburg papers recently spoke of the Santa Clara valley as being 425 miles north of Los Angeles, instead of fifty miles south of San Francisco. That will give you an idea of their understanding of the situation. Fully 30,000 persons know the difference now, since hearing my lectures, for in them I have made the central portion of the State very prominent."

WE have a new up-to-date gun-powder plot. There is a trust on powder in the United States and fearing that this country will be at the mercy of this trust in time of war Congress may recommend that the country make its own powder.

## MUNICIPAL FIGHT WILL BE HOT ONE.

### Several Candidates in the Field for Trustees and Other Offices.

The city election which takes place on April 9th promises to be a lively one. Already five candidates are in the field for City Trustees and several more have declared their intentions to file the documents necessary to place their name on the ticket. No certificates of nomination can be filed with City Clerk Small after Monday night next.

Trustees Pinelli, Breitenbach and Poppe's terms expire and of these Breitenbach and Pinelli are out for re-election.

In addition to these, those who have filed their certificates of nomination and will run are Walter L. Murphy, Peter Yenni and L. Quartaroli.

Other nominations filed thus far are: For Clerk, Joe B. Small; for Treasurer, W. C. Clewe; for Marshal, Jas. H. Albertson.

### PERSONAL MENTION

The best local paper—The Index-Tribune.

Mrs. J. M. Cheney visited San Francisco last Saturday.

Little Miss Florence Green was a visitor to Glen Ellen last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ryland were up from San Francisco this week

Mrs. Jeanette Mumfrey was visiting in San Francisco last Saturday.

Attorney Schlessinger of San Francisco has been a guest at Boyes Springs this week.

Miss Alice Church went down to San Francisco last Saturday to visit with relatives.

James A. Walls of Petaluma who has been so dangerously ill, is now able to be out.

Mrs. McElroy and daughters went to San Francisco last Saturday. Miss Edna McElroy remained down to visit with sOakland friends.

About twenty ladies attended a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society at the home of Mrs. Fraser last Tuesday. The entertainment to be given in May was discussed and a pleasant afternoon spent. Dainty refreshments were served.

### Twins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ehart Steiger of Schellville were presented with twins—a boy and a girl—Thursday night.

## SONOMA PETITIONS FOR STATE FARM.

### Commissioners Asked to Recommend the Wickersham Site for Experimental Farming

A petition was gotten out and numerously signed here this week asking the commissioners of the University Farm to recommend the Wickersham site in this valley for the big agricultural station, for which $50,000 is to be expended by the State. This site was favorably mentioned to the commission by Professor Wickson, who came here some weeks ago to look over the property, and as no location has been definitely decided upon as yet the petition was thought advisable.

Contra Costa county is being looked upon very favorably and the Key route people are pulling strong to get the Farm there, promising to furnish fine transportation facilities to and from Berkeley. There is, however, a hitch in the selection of the site, so the petition again calling the attention of the commission to Sonoma Valley has been forwarded. It was accompanied by a map showing the exact situation of the Wickersham ranch with the two railroad lines adjacent thereto.

The possibility of an electic line close to this site and the fact that water communication with San Francisco is only three miles away makes the farm very accessible to San Francisco and Berkeley.

It is a magnificent piece of property, consisting of 1550 acres of land and abundance of water; 750 acres of land are level and tillable and it is understood that the State can have the property at something like $50,000.


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## Taxes

Poll, road and personal property taxes for 1906 are now due and must be paid to the undersigned or to Frank E. Dowd, County Assessor of Sonoma county, Santa Rosa.

These taxes will become delinquent on and after July 1, 1906. A settlement now will save the penalty which attaches to all such taxes remaining unpaid after above date.

M. P. AKERS.
Deputy Assessor.

Sonoma, March 11, 1906.

### LOCAL BREVITIES

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

Daily Evening Bulletin, Sunday Morning Bulletin and Index-Tribune all for a year for $7.80.


### Torture By Savages

"Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria, and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by L. S. Simmons, druggist. Price 50c.

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### Doctors Are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and La Grippe. Guaranteed at Simmons' drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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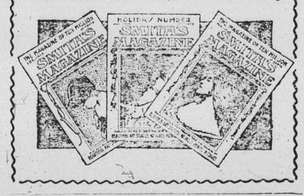

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**Index-Tribune.**

SONOMA, MARCH 17, 1906.

## Leading Paper of Sonoma.

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OVERALLS

## BRIEF MENTION

Spring millinary at The Racket Store. *

See the new summer Dress Goods at Hotz's. *

Here—Spring and hats. The Racket Store. *

Daunt does the only reliable watch repairing. *

Millinery Opening on Saturday, March 17 at G. H. Hotz's.

A masquerade party is being talked of by the Sonoma Social Club.

Beautiful Trimmed Hats, Ready-to-wear Hats and Hat Shapes at G. A. Hotz's. *

Any repair work left at Mrs. Lutgen's will receive prompt attention by Daunt. *

Don't forget to see the Stylish Millinery at G. H. Hotz's on Saturday, March 17.

The house being built by Mrs. McHarvey for Mrs. A. D. Lowell is nearing completion.

Take Standard Remedy for any disease arising from impure blood. John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county. *

The meeting to have been held at the Congregational church Sunday in regard to the Craig bequest and its disposition was postponed on account of the weather.

Wanted —Men in each State to travel, post signs, advertise and leave samples of our goods. Salary $75.00 per month; $3.00 per day for expenses. Kuhlman Co., Dept. S, Atlas Block, Chicago.

Ralph Ent, the painter, advertises "ye old Flemish stains" for furniture, panel work, etc., in another column. Mr. Ent is an up-to-date mechanic and possesses native artistic skill. He solicits contract and day work and all orders addressed to P. O. box 14, Sonoma, will receive prompt attention. See ad in another column.

Daily Chronicle and the Index-Tribune only $9 a year for both papers.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. Roberts is visiting with her father at the Hyde ranch.

W. C. Nolan and F. T. Duhring visited Santa Rosa last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Allen spent Saturday and Sunday at La Lomita.

Miss Olga Leichter of San Francisco has been visiting Sonoma friends.

R. S. Bosworth entertained with cards last Friday night at "Stafford Grange."

Arthur Luce of the Sonoma Valley Bank spent Sunday with Santa Rosa relatives.

The Frank Johnsons of San Rafael were visitors at Boyes Hot Springs Sunday.

Mrs, R. P. Hill was the guest of honor at a luncheon at the Ebell Club in Oakland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Holzheimer of Pennsylvania were guests of the Robert Hills last Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Stone, who has been visiting at the L. L. Lewis ranch, returned to her home in Berkeley Saturday.

Very latest style of ladies and gentlemens' visiting cards printed at the INDEX-TRIBUNE office at bargain prices.

Wm. H. Daly and Fred Hudson came up from San Francisco Sunday and spent the afternoon on the former's ranch east of town.

Dr. F. F. Sprague left for Elko, Nevada, last Tuesday, where he will practice medicine. Mrs. Sprague at present is the guest of her father, H. H. Granice, but will join her husband about the middle of April.

## FOSTER SUBSCRIBES $5,000 TO FARM.

### Railroad President Heads List to Purchase Site for Agricultural Work

President A. W. Foster of the California Northwestern railway has headed a subscription list with $5,000 for the purchase of the Wickersham ranch for the State Farm. The idea is to present the tract to the State if sufficient funds can be raised. The Wickersham property adjoins that of Foster, who now owns the Fair ranch.

The establishing of the Farm in this valley and the expenditure of $100,000 for equipment would be the making of Sonoma county, for the attention of the entire world would then be called to this section of the State. It would result in great activities here.

President Foster's interest and generosity in this matter is much appreciated by the people of this valley.

### T. S. Glaister Ranch Sold.

"Ten Oaks," the home of the late T. S. Glaister and one of the finest ranches and vineyards in the valley, has been sold by Mrs. Otto Wagner to an Italian family who it is said paid spot cash for the place.

The Otto Wagners will move into town and occupy their house on Broadway.

### To Extend Lighting System

C. T. Ryland of the local electriet light system has announced that he will extend the light and power service of his company to the easterly suburbs of town. Many residents on the east side have taken light and motors and there is a demand for an extension of the service in that direction.

## IS HUNTINGTON SEEKING INTERESTS HERE?

### Reports that He is to Invest Heavily in Sonoma Valley

A report has been current here that H. E. Huntington, the railway magnate, would transfer his operations to this section of the State and has made an offer for the L. L. Lewis ranch at El Verano.

Mr. Lewis has made no admission of such a transaction, but it is known that he withdrew his offer of selling the magnificent property for the State Farm site, and just why, no one knows unless the deal with Huntington was on.

Another report was to the effect that Huntington was seeking the Boyes' Springs property with the object of converting it into a big tourist and hotel resort.

With the capital represented by Huntington, Foster and Spreckles, all of whom are multi-millionairs, our future would be a roseate one.

### Miss Long Loses Grandmother.

Miss Susan Long, the teacher at Schellville, received the sad news of the death of her grandmother, Susan McNab of Largo, Mendocino county, Saturday last. Mrs. McNab was eighty years of age. She was the mother of Gavin McNab of San Francisco. Miss Long's deceased mother was also a child of the pioneer lady who was buried on Sunday.

### Death of Win Rambo

Win Rambo, who has been residing with his brother, the local blacksmith, died on Saturday last. The deceased was forty-five years of age and unmarried. He was a resident of Vacaville before coming here but was brought up in this county.

Our Standard Remedy, John McNeil, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma, sole agent for Sonoma county, is positively the best cure for all diseases arising from impure blood. For sale at Clewe's. *

Hunting notices printed at this office The very latest form.

### Out For City Trustee

Mr. L. Quartaroli is out for the office of City Trustee and his name will be on the ballots that will be cast at the municipal election to be held in this city on Monday, April 9th. Mr. Quartaroli is an independent candidate. There are no strings attached to him and he relies upon receiving the suffrages of the people solely upon his standing as a successful business man and a wide-awake and progressive citizen. He has many friends and supporters. His card announcing his candidacy appears elsewhere in these columns.

## NEW ROAD ORDERED BY SUPERVISORS.

### Will Make the New Schooner Service Very Accessible

The Supervisors passed a resolution Saturday ordering the report of the viewers in the Schellville road matter accepted and allowing damages for the land through which the thoroughfare is to pass. The Savings Bank property was appraised at $104.96¼ and that of Mrs. Sarah B. Dunn for the same amount. Mrs. Mary B. Curtis was allowed $209.92½.

The action of the Supervisors was taken upon being officially advised of the report of the war department declaring Steamboat slough to be a navigable stream.

Capt. Scheller expects to have his gasoline schooner making regular trips by the first of May via this route. The schooner is a twin screw propeller equipped with two engines of 30-horse power each.

The trip to San Francisco will consume about five hours. Wharves will be built at once and preparations will be made for the shipping. Capt. Scheller's enterprise will cost something like $7,000 but he expects to do a good freight business and believes his investment is a good one.

### Spreckel's Ponies Arrived in Petaluma.

J. H. Moore arrived in Petaluma on Saturday night on the steamer Gold from San Francisco en route from San Diego to the Spreckel's farm near Agua Calente. He brought up five of the Spreckel's polo ponies, which have been winning many races at the San Diego meet Among the horses was the stallion Wonderful, which won the breeders' stakes at San Diego. Also the good mare Uletma, Honoma, Althuma and Collary. He had two stable boys and a rider with with him, while a couple of wagons hauled the baggage from Petaluma to the ranch. The stable boys objected to making the trip in the rain and Mr. Moore had all kinds of trouble in getting started. He finally got away from Petaluma at noon and the cavalcade attracted considerable attention as it passed through the streets.

### Of Religious Interest

Rev. B. M. Palmer of Fruitvale will conduct evangilistic services in this place from March 29th to April 6th under the auspices of the Congregational and Methodist churches. The place of meeting will be announced later.

At the morning services in the Congregational church to-morrow morning the Rev. Mr. Cragin's text will be: "O Lord, Revive Thy Work." There will be Union services with a sermon by Rev. Mr. Rowe.

It is expected that Union Hall will be entirely renovated and rebuilt by June 1st. A. C. Lutgens is the architect.

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One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative

## MUST PAY WOMAN $5,500 DAMAGES.

### Angelina Morasoli Awarded Full Amount Asked in Breach of Promise Suit

Angelina Morasoli, who sued L. Massucci, one of the proprietors of the Swiss Hotel in this place, for breach of promise, was awarded $5,500 damages by Judge Burnett in the Superior Court of this county last Saturday.

She first brought criminal action against the defendant but lost the case. During the trial of the breach of promise proceeding, she appeared in court with her infant. In giving her a verdict for $5,500 damages against Massucci, Judge Burnett rendered the following opinion:

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma. Angelina Morasoli, plaintiff vs. L. Massucci, defendant.

"I believe that plantiff has told the truth in reference to her relations with defendant. It may be that she did not resist as strenously as she ought, and that she yielded too readily to his importunities but her ignorance and misplaced confidence are potential factors that must be considered in determining the merits of the controversy. Her injury is irreparable, and the wrong can never be compensated, but it seems just that the author of her misfortune should bear some of the burden of the expense and disgrace that he has brought upon plaintiff.

"Plaintiff's mental capacity is rather below the average in my judgment, and although of mature years, her manner and disposition make her appear as a child. Considering all the surrounding circumstances I think she is entitled to judgment as prayed for, and it is so ordered.

ALBERT G. BURNETT, Judge."

Clarence Lea, attorney for the defendant, will carry the case up to the Supreme Court and argue for a reversal of the judgment.

## SONOMA PEOPLE IN S. P. WRECK.

### Passengers Have Narrow Escape on Monday When Train Was Derailed Near Napa Junction.

The passengers on Monday morning's S. P train from Santa Rosa and El Verano had a narrow escape from injury and possibly death in a wreck which occurred three miles this side of Napa Junction. Owing to the storm the track was in bad shape and the engine left the rails, together with the combination car, smoker and passenger coach. The engine and combination car were turned over on their sides into a ditch alongside the track but the smoker and passenger coach remained upright. Wm. Ashe, John Serres and Tony Serres were passengers on the train The mails were delayed and traffic tied up for twelve hours.

## SCHELLVILLE COUPLE PLIGHT TROTH.

### Miss Beatrice Bioletti Becomes Bride of T. W. Spaulding.

Miss Beatrice Bioletti of Locust Grove and Thomas W. Spaulding also of Schellvile were married on Saturday in Santa Rosa at the Church of the Incarnation by Rev. A. L. Burleson. Mrs. Ross Campbell played the wedding march and the bride was escorted to the altar by John Hood, who gave her away. Miss Bioletti is a sister of Mrs Capt. Ward of Kenwood and the groom is an instructor at the Locust Grove School.

The going-away gown was navy blue with a hat to match. The bride is a very charming and cultured young woman and many friends are extending congratulations.

### Played Cards

The Sonoma Valley Whist Club had a very delightful evening on Friday night of last week when twenty of its members met together and played progressive whist. The players with substitutes were as follows: Messrs. Johnson, Lewis, Palstine, Gottenberg, Sprague, Baer, Irons, Appleton, Simmons and Murphy. Mesdames Johnson, Palstine, Gottenberg, Appleton, Murphy, Simmons and Misses Frazer, Meyer and Leitcher. Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Baer carried off the prizes. The club met again last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Johnson.

## BENEFIT BANQUET TO NATIVE SONS

### Woman's Club Will Give Feast and Proceeds Will go into Plaza Fund.

The Native Sons have asked the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club to arrange for and serve their banquet on Monday night. The parlor guarantees $20 and will pay 50c a plate for every extra guest over forty. As the Native Sons will each bring a lady, there will probably be about seventy at the feast and as the club ladies will donate most of the food there will be a neat sum gained in this way for the plaza fund which is the object of getting up the affair. The banquet will be held at Odd Fellows Hall and the skill of the club women as caterers ensures the success of the feas..

### Clever Entertainment at Glen Ellen.

A very clever entertainment was presented by Kenwood talent at Mayflower Hall in Glen Ellen on last Friday night. The Old Maids' Convention which made such a hit at Kenwood was given and all voted it the best entertainment ever presented by amateurs in the valley.

There were local hits on some of our well known batchelors and the main plot of the extravaganza was centered about an inventor and a wonderful machine which could rejuvenate old maids and remould them according to their various ambitious. One spinster went into the machine with her pet dog and shortly emerged minus the dog but carring instead a string of sausages.

There were other clever skits and a program of much excellence interwoven in the piece.

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### A Scientific Wonder

The cures that stand to its credit make Bucklen's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. R. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It heals the worst Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers Cuts, Wounds, Chilblain, and Salt Rheum. Only 25c at Simmons' drug store.

### Vegetable Seeds

Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay has sent this office a limited number of packages of vegetable seeds for free distribution among the farmers of this valley. These seeds can be had by calling at this office.

### Runaway Boys.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan was on the lookout last Saturday morning for four boys who ran away from their homes in Santa Rosa and were thought to have come down this way. The youngsters, however, failed to show up in this locality.

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## GLEN ELLEN
By Aurora.

Prof. Bonbright spent Saturday in Petaluma.

Mr. A. E. Gaige took a trip to Santa Rosa Saturday.

Henry Chauvet was a visisor to Santa Rosa Saturday last.

Mr. R. P. Hill had business at the county seat Thursday.

Mr. Henderson returned from San Francisco Wednesday.

Mr. Henry J. Chauvet had business at the county seat Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Behler lost a very valuable Holstein cow one day this week.

Mrs. Olga Gordenker was the guest of Sonoma friends Sunday afternoon.

Capt. and Mrs. Ward returned from England Tuesday. They report having had a delightful time while abroad.

Mr. Bianchi, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks, is able to sit up and is gradually on the mend.

Mr. Ritzman returned to San Francisco last Tuesday after spending several days with his family at the old Weise place, which he recently leased.

Mr. A. Froment was in San Francisco last Saturday to see his doctor, who, after giving him a thorough examination pronounced him sound as a dollar. This will be good news to his many friends in the valley.

AURORA.

Glen Ellen, March 16th, 1906.

### That Perch In a Tree

Travelers along the road between Santa Rosa and Glen Ellen are frequently puzzled over a summer house built in an oak tree at the gateway of a well-known farm near the latter place. The following is a rhythmical explanation of the perch in this tree:

A stranger passing me one day,
While driving down Glen Ellen way,
Said, pointing toward an oak, to me,
What is that business in that tree?
I answered with some satisfaction,
"That is a sort of summer attraction."
But afterwards I somewhat wondered
If in my answer I had not blundered,
For might it not be the Prof's idee,
To build a nest in the old oak tree
And find a mate to dwell therein
Above earth's carking cares and sin?
If so we may soon see a cage,
Perched high in the great oak's foliage,
And in after years the passerby,
May see the swallows homeward fly"
But whatever the scheme of Professor B
Good luck to him and the old oak tree.

A STRANGER.

### Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a patent medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills the for constipation.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.


## THE UNION OF TWO ESTATES

[Original.]

Both estates were very large, the one consisting of hundreds of acres, the other of thousands. Wadsworth Towle was the owner of the smaller; Helen De Veaux would be the owner of the larger. It is an old story that young people of opposite sexes owning adjoining estates are induced by their elders to marry, thus carrying out the modern commercial plan of "community of interest," and so it was in this case. Towle went to college, then traveled abroad. Miss De Veaux, after completing her education, chafed that she had been born rich. She pined for a vocation.

One June day Towle was wandering about his grounds and before he knew it found himself in the De Veaux estates. A young woman in the costume of a trained nurse was resting on a board seat between two trees reading or studying. Towle, who had been carried through a long illness by one of this profession and had a great admiration for them as a class, raised his hat politely.

"I beg pardon," he said. "Will you tell me who is ill at the house?"

She hesitated to reply.

"No matter," he added. "I have no right to pry into family secrets."

"Miss De Veaux is not very well."

"Indeed. I have—I mean we have—not been informed of her illness."

"Why should you be informed?"

It occurred to Towle to play a part and learn something about the lady whose interests and his were identical.

"Well, I am Mr. Towle's business man, secretary, general utility man. He lives on the adjoining estate. Had I heard of Miss De Veaux's illness I should have suggested the propriety of his writing to express his concern. He would have directed me to write a letter, and in this case he would have copied it in his own hand and sent it to Miss De Veaux."

"Bless me. Is that the way these rich people express sympathy?"

"Usually."

"But I thought there was some talk of Mr. Towle's marrying Miss De Veaux. How could he be so coldly methodical with her?"

"He has never seen her. His family has long owned its estate here, hers only a few years, during which both Mr. Towle and Miss De Veaux have been getting an education."

"I see. Doesn't he rather shrink from such a cold blooded union?"

"He's a practical fellow, with no romantic nonsense about him."

"Then he's not like Miss De Veaux, who is in full sympathy with that romance which is at the bottom of every true heart."

"I am surprised. I supposed Miss De Veaux was rather practical. I have heard that she is proposing when she comes into this estate to organize a staff to assist her in devoting her immense income to practical charity."

"Her postgraduate education, so to speak, is directed with that end in view."

Towle sat down on the other end of the board and beat the grass with his cane.

"I wouldn't suppose," he said, "that Mr. Towle would care to marry that sort of woman. They are very well to admire at a distance, but they don't work well in double harness."

"I'm quite sure Miss De Veaux wouldn't care to marry a man who would write her a letter of sympathy drawn by his business man."

Towle sat for a few minutes with a sober look on his face, then turned to the nurse with a smile. "We are settling the affairs of our betters as though they were our own. Suppose we drop them and chat about other topics—that is, if you don't mind making an acquaintance in this way."

"A trained nurse can't be squeamish."

The pair talked for an hour, then parted, to meet when the nurse came off duty for an hour of recreation the next day. In this way they kept up a series of meetings for several weeks. Meanwhile Towle had sent a letter of sympathy with flowers to Miss De Veaux, asking to be allowed to call as soon as she was able to receive callers. One day he received a formal note signed by Miss Edna Knapp, Miss De Veaux's secretary, informing him that she was quite recovered and would be pleased to see him. Towle was somewhat startled at this method of communication, but Miss De Veaux might be still too weak to do her own correspondence. He did not much care, for he had been captivated by her nurse.

When Wadsworth Towle was ushered into the drawing room where Helen De Veaux, arrayed in plain but becoming costume, awaited him he started. Miss De Veaux and her trained nurse were one and the same person.

"Pardon me sending you a note through my secretary, Mr. Towle. I should have made an exception to my rule in your case, but since your note of condolence to me came from your business man I presumed you wouldn't care. Were you aware that he sent me the flowers, or did they come under general instructions for cases of illness?"

"I have called to say," replied Towle with a quick recovery of his equanimity, "that all hope of our uniting these properties is ended. I have fallen in love with your nurse."

Miss De Veaux bent her eyes to the floor.

"The nurse you met," she said, "is only a student. She is preparing herself to organize a staff, etc., and had just come in from her studies when she found you on the De Veaux property and recognized you at once. She has been graduated, and you will know her as a nurse no longer."

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**In and Out.**

First Officer—Yes, we were marching over a plank bridge when it gave way, and the men fell in.

Second Officer—And what did you do?

First Officer—Oh, I ordered them to fall out.—Illustrated Bits.

**Unlucky.**

"Yes, since Mrs. Gotrox broke a mirror yesterday she is convinced that it is very unlucky."

"How superstitious!"

"Not at all. It was a French plate mirror and cost $400."—Baltimore News.

**What He Preferred.**

Magistrate—And I understand that you prefer charges against this man.

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### Cured Consumption.

Mrs. W. B. Evans, Clearwater, Kansas, writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold at Simmons' drug store.

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### A Hint to Travelers.

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### ODDITIES IN PET NAMES.

**Cat and Pig Are the Terms Coveted by French Women.**

"If a man in this country calls his wife a cat the foundation is laid for a divorce suit," said the man who travels. "But a French woman takes the same word as a term of endearment. It's odd how the choicest phrases in the vocabulary of affection of one people are used for quite an opposite purpose by another nation. One of the most familiar and most coveted phrases of endearment among the French, for instance, is 'my little pig,' and 'my little puppy dog' is also well liked.

"But if the Frenchman were to call Mme. Narcisse 'duck,' as an American husband might lovingly call his better half, she would be very much offended. One of the oddest pet names that I ever heard of was that used by a famous German general, who always called his wife 'my little kernel of coffee.' They were divorced at last, however, and a cynic said that the general's pet name should have been 'my dear little stack of bayonets,' for the lady was said to have had a very sharp tongue. I know a devoted disciple of Walton, who, when writing to his wife while on a fishing expedition, calls her 'my dear little speckled trout.'"—New York Press.

### Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the House.

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**Why Razors Get Tired.**

"Do you know why we dip a razor in warm water before we begin shaving, and do you know why some ignorant men say a razon is 'tired?'" asked the barber. "Well, this is all due to the fact that a razor is a saw, not a knife, and it works like a saw, not like a knife. Examined under the microscope its edge, that looks so smooth to the naked eye, is seen to have innumerable and fine saw teeth. When these teeth get clogged with dirt all the honing and strapping in the world will do no good—the razor is dull and nothing will sharpen it. Then is the time the ignorant say it is 'tired' and stop using it, but the wise know it is only clogged.

"The wise, though, don't suffer their razors to get clogged. They dip them in warm water before they use them, and thus the teeth are kept clean. It is because a razor is a saw that lather doesn't soften the beard, as so many people think. It stiffens it, so that it will present a firm and resisting surface to the razor."—Philadelphia Record.

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**One Oculist's Advice.**

"So you have been trying to doctor your own eyes," remarked the oculist as the patient removed the bandage, displaying an aggravated case of conjunctivitis. "In many cases you can cure yourself, but if you don't know what treatments to avoid you are liable to do yourself injury. Old housewife remedies are all right in their place, but I would advise you not to use tea leaves. They often give relief, but they bring on other complications. In fact, the 'tea leaf eye' is well known to the profession. The lid is puffy, flabby and lifeless. If you wish to reduce the inflammation in your eyes use hot water with a cloth. That is enough. Yes; you may add salt if you wish, but it is not necessary in most cases. Salt is merely an antiseptic and has no other virtue for eye lotions."—New York Press.


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**All Brushed Off.**

A lady called at a chemist's shop, then, after examining one or two articles, remembered that she wanted some cosmetic for the toilet and turning to the chemist, asked, "Have you any bloom of youth?"

The merchant, over whose head more than fifty summers had passed, turned to one of his assistants and asked in a business way, "Have I any bloom of youth left?"

The clerk looked up with a quiet smile and answered, "I believe not, sir."—London Globe.

**English Injustice.**

An Australian tourist traveling in the west of Ireland asked an old woman how far it was to the nearest town. She sadly looked at him, then sighed and said:

"It was five nice miles two years ago, but some English brute came over with chains and made it seven, and our hearts are broke walking it ever since, bad luck to them!"

And she disappeared into the house, leaving him there.—Illustrated Bits.

### Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr. J. C. Bayne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For sale by L. S. Simmons.


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